STATEMENT

(a) Total number of telephone connections provided during last three years, ending 31.3.1991.

1.	Panaji	1437
2.	Margao	935
3.	Mapusa	61
4.	Vasco	71
5.	Ponda	257
6.	Bicholin	173
7.	Sanvordem (curchoram)	73

(b) Waiting list of telephone connections as on 30.6.1991.

		Waiting List
1.	Panaji	2743
2.	Margao	2359
3.	Mapusa	1213
4.	Uasco	1304
5.	Ponda	516
6.	Bicholin	42
7.	Sanvordem (curchorem)	79

Shifting of Office of Finger Print Bureau

5791. SHRI HANNAN MOLLAH: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to State :

(a) whether the Government propose to shift the office of the Central Finger Print Bureau from Calcutta; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI M.M. JACOB): (a) and (b). In pursuance of the recommendactions of the National Police Commission and for functional and administrative reasons, it was decided in 1987 to shift some operational sections of Central Finger Print Bureau from Calcutta to Delhi under the administrative control of the National Crime Records Bureau. Out of a total of 86 posts, it was decided to shift 62 posts to Delhi in two phases. However, so far only 53 posts have been shifted to Delhi. The remaining 33 posts are still in Calcutta.

Rengali Irrigation Project as National Project

5792. SHRI BRAJA KISHORE TRIPATHY: Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to State :

(a) whether the Government of Orissa has submitted any proposal to the Union Government for the declaration of the Rengali Irrigation Project as a National Project; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the reaction of the Union Government thereto?

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI VIDYACHARAN SHUKLA): (a) No such proposal has been received from the State Government.

(b) Dos not arise.

Telephone Directory of Bombay

5793. SHRI RAM KAPSE: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to State :